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MANAGER

George R. Smith Dies of Influenza

On Saturday morning Geo. R. Smith, C.P.R. agent at Warner succumbed to an attack of influenza. He had been in Warner only a couple of months. His wife is also ill from the same malady. The remains of the late Mr. Smith were accompanied east by his brother. Interment will take place in New Brunswick. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were residents in Coleman for some two years, Mr. Smith being night operator here. Many friends here will extend their sympathy to Mrs. Smith and little daughter in their bereavement.

An Appreciation

Dear Mr. Editor,

May I be allowed through the columns of your paper to offer an appreciation of the Coleman Isolation Hospital and its Staff. Speaking for myself in particular (and I think I am voicing the opinions of many others) I think the town of Coleman can heartily congratulate itself upon the very efficient manner in which the epidemic has been met. The arrangements made by the Board of Health have, so it seems to me worked out splendidly. The Doctors, Matron and Staff have every reason to be proud of the results of their efforts. When we are in position to compare ourselves with other towns I think we shall be very gratified with the results attained. I cannot speak too highly of the kindly treatment which I received and I feel most grateful. May I also thank the many kind friends for their enquiries and help during my recent illness.

Thanking you Mr. Editor for your courtesy, I remain yours sincerely,
H. CLAY

Priest in charge, St. Albans Church
The editor of the Bulletin must express an appreciation of Mr. Clay's letter. While application has been made for information in regard to the hospital work by The Bulletin, a promise of something in the future was all that was secured. Fortunately there was one patient who took the ordinary and patent way of expressing his appreciation of the splendid treatment received in the hospital.

Mr. Solf Speaking.

We bombed your Red Cross hospitals. We strafed your open towns. But war, you know, has many just such little ups and downs. We starved your men in prison camps, but should that make you mad. Er--by the way--too harsh a peace would really be to bad. We murdered kids and women and deported all your men. But when you get severe with us, that's something else again. Shall peace be just and durable? Then you had best beware. Because if you're too strict with us, we'll weep, we'll weep! So there!

ST. ALBAN'S CHURCH

The Re-opening Services in this church are being arranged for Sunday December 22nd when Services of Thanksgiving will be held. The arrangements are as follows:
Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Sunday School at 3 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Evening Service of Thanksgiving 7 p.m. with anthem and Te Deum.

The arrangements for Xmas will be as follows, Tuesday Dec. 24th Xmas Eve, Sunday School children's Xmas Tree at 7 p.m. in the Parish Hall. December 25th Xmas Day, Holy Communion at 8 a.m. and at 11 a.m. Collections on this day for the Incumbent.

H. CLAY, Priest in Charge.

In New York State 131 people were killed by Automobiles during November.
Influenza has again caused the closing of the public schools in St. Louis Mo.

Masked bandits killed the customs collector at Hiber, Ariz., and escaped with \$125,000 in gold.

The British government has agreed to the principle of an 8-hour day for all members of the wages staff of the railways in the United Kingdom. The 8-hour day will come into operation next February.

Hockey Enthusiasts On Warpath

Coleman hockeyists are organizing and are hoping that other towns along the line will do the same so that there will be sufficient teams to make things interesting. The war is over now and it is up to the boys at home to show those returning from overseas that they know how to keep things going.

Liquor Commissioner Does Thriving Business

W. C. Findley, prohibition commissioner for British Columbia, is under arrest charged with importing liquor on his own hook, while acting as purchasing agent for the province. Some other arrests are likely to follow. It is claimed thousands of dollars worth of liquor was imported illegally.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

J. Armstrong, of Pincher Creek, was in town on Tuesday.

J. Arund and A. Maurice, of Dollard, Sask., spent the week in town.

A large number of men have been arriving of late for McLaren's lumber camp.

Clement Grewett, spent the week end in Calgary returning home on Tuesday morning.

W. H. Hermann, theatrical agent, of Winnipeg, was a business visitor here on Saturday.

T. Crahan, of Seattle, proprietor of the East Coleman Casino, was in town this week looking after his interests here.

Tim Leadbeater, of Lethbridge and wife (nee Miss U. Ostrand er) were visitors in town over Sunday, returning to Lethbridge on Monday.

Wm. Evans, and son James, left for Lehigh, Montana, last week, where they will remain with another son, Harry, who is in business there.

Mrs. L. Mabley, of Claresholm was here during the week on a visit to her husband, who is in the employ of the Crown Coal and Wood Company.

Ten thousand new members have joined the United Farmers of Ontario since the big deputation went to Ottawa last spring, "over the conscription question."

The school hospital closed on Thursday of last week. Mrs. Barnes, (the matron) taking the remaining patients to her home. The school has been disinfected in preparation for the resumption of school work.

Contractor Disney finished the construction of the curling rink on Monday and the ice making process is under way. It is anticipated the rink will be open next week, should weather conditions be favorable.

A new item from Blairmore in the Lethbridge Herald says: "Dr. G. E. Bayfield has handed in his resignation to the local union and will leave Blairmore in the near future. Dr. Olivier, of Coleman, Alta., has been asked to take over the practice here and has consented and will move to Blairmore shortly."

The sympathy of the community goes out to Louis and Mrs. Dutil on the sad loss of their little daughter, Gertrude, who passed away on Friday from the effects of the influenza. Interment took place at Blairmore cemetery on Saturday afternoon. Blairmore news in Lethbridge Herald.

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Britain and Peace Terms

In the presence of events so tremendous, of a success so unqualified as is ours, something of this high temper may assuredly be counted upon among our own people and statesmen, among those of all the other nations with whom we share the victory.—*Manchester Guardian.*

NOTES AND COMMENT

The Germans made their bed and now that they must lie in it they immediately, as some one has expressed it, beg the Americans to make it over and pad it and put new bolsters and fresh pillows and a coverlet of downy charity over it.—Savannah News.

The labor men and manufacturers advocate a campaign to spread optimism throughout the country. It is needed. Too many people are pessimistic without reason. The war ended they pictured the after-the-war conditions as very dark, and they still are gloomy about things. They are spreading this idea about, and other people, who don't delve deeply into matters, swallow the doctrine. Naturally, if we all become gloomy, pessimism will reign. There is no need to be gloomy. Conditions are not as bad as they were before the war, and they won't be bad at all, if we keep our heads level and cheer up.—Lethbridge Herald.

The United States will not be likely to concede much to the brewing interests in the future. When the brewers combine to hand the country over to Germany it is full time the brewers disappeared.

Taken at large the over-subscriptions of the Victory Loan was a highly creditable thing to the people of the Dominion of Canada. Will the spending of the money bring as much credit to the powers that be at Ottawa.

While the United States has removed all restrictions on the use of sugar the Canada Food Board still maintain the old allowance. Canada should remove the restrictions also. The price is high enough to prevent waste.

When Mrs. Langtry was at the summit of her beauty and fame she met at a dinner an African king who was visiting London. She did her best to please the dusky monarch and evidently succeeded, for he said to her as they parted: "Ah, madam, if heaven had only made you black and fat you would be irresistible"—Boston Transcript.

The skating rink, part of the programme of the curling club for winter amusements, is open to the public. A general effort to use the rink to the best advantage for recreation, and pleasure will result in benefit to all. No doubt there will be faults which can be found if there is a general desire to look for faults, but it is hoped everyone will endeavor to appreciate as far as possible the accommodation provided. We have seen one persistent grouchy chap trouble brewing all the time, but facilities for this particular class of person will not be very bright here this season. The management are aware there are many desirable improvements that could be made, including the erection of a handsome building, but they are no funds to do it. If the public wants better accommodation in the skating line nothing will help so materially to assist in securing it as cheerful and generous patronage of the present rink. It it pays any more than running expenses the skaters will get the benefit of it.

Swiss Traveller Thrills Over Coast Scenery

On that beautiful boat trip from Victoria to Vancouver, B.C., a Swiss traveller enraptured over the views he was obtaining remarked, "I have travelled pretty much over the world and throughout my country—and no one who has been in Switzerland will dispute the beauty of the Alps—but for sheer magnificence, for Nature run riot in chaotic splendour, I have never

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Through a similarity in names a confusion has been created which may cause a great deal of harm. A word of explanation is reported in many papers that the Montreal Herald had gone into liquidation. The news was true but the public should know that the paper in financial difficulties had no connection whatever with the great Weekly paper called The Family Herald and Weekly Star. The latter paper is published by The Montreal Star Publishing Co., and is known in almost every home in Canada. In justice to our conference we make this announcement. The Family Herald and Weekly Star is one of the strongest papers on the Continent. The word "Family" should not be omitted when addressing the paper.

There are three vacant seats in the house of commons—Glengary and Stormont, by the death of John McMartin, North Ontario, by the death of Col. Sam Sharpe, and Assiniboia by the appointment of J. G. Turfitt to senate. All three members were Unionists. The vacancies will not likely be filled until all the soldiers are back from the front.

Notice is given in a Customs memorandum that the convention respecting commercial relations between Canada and France is to remain in force until September 10, 1919, and that the question of continuing the convention in force after that date is under consideration.

The Bank of Commerce has opened branches at Parkland and Rosebud.

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A story comes from Cranbrook stating that Arthur Bullock, a former resident of Lethbridge, now living on a ranch near Cranbrook, by the aid of his flock of ducks has suddenly become a prospective millionaire. He found in the crop of a duck he was dressing to cook six dollars' worth of gold nuggets. He immediately began to calculate, and is going to raise two thousand ducks, which at the rate the dead duck was mining, will bring him in a revenue of over ten thousand dollars next year.

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News of the Week

Items of General Interest Gathered From
Many Sources for Bulletin Readers.

The first thing necessary in break-
ing a bad habit is to want to break it.

The Salvation Army will build a
hospital to cost \$150,000 in Ottawa.

Vancouver had an earthquake shock
on Friday, December 6th, that shook
the tall buildings.

The Canadian registration act has
been suspended, though the registra-
tion board will remain a while to wind
up business.

The absolute abolition of conscrip-
tion throughout Europe will be de-
manded by the British delegates to
the peace conference.

The Germans have an immense air-
plane built, with which a trip across
the Atlantic ocean will be attempted
in the near future.

During the war, 2,475 British ships
were sunk with their crews beneath
them and 3,147 vessels were sunk and
their crews left adrift. Fishing ves-
sels to the number of 670 were lost.

The trades and labor council of
Montreal is urging that the ban
against newspapers suppressed during
the war be removed. Most of the
papers affected are of socialist ten-
dencies.

Continuation of prohibition until
decided by referendum was urged on
the government recently by a dele-
gation representing the Dominion
prohibition committee and "strengthen
Canada movement."

Apples are an unexpectedly good
crop in portions of Western Ontario.
Many farmers are having them ground
to make cider and apple butter, the
latter to be used as a substitute for
potatoes, which, in some districts,
were a failure this year.

Speaking at Plymouth, Sir Auck-
land Giddens, a member of the coal-
ition government, said that whatever
else Germany might pay in discharg-
ing the cost of the war, she must not
be allowed to pay in manufactured
goods dumped into Great Britain.

Of the total number of 31,472 cattle
that were sent north from the south-
ern dry belt this year for feeding pur-
poses, 16,094 were sent out to points
along the C.N.R. Of the 66,545 sheep
that were shipped, 16,089 went out to
points along the various C.N.R. lines.

The president of the Hamburg sol-
diers' and Workmen's council has de-
clared to the Weser Zeitung of Ham-
burg that he knew positively that 90
boxes of minted gold have been sent to
Amersfoort, Holland, for William
Hohenzollern, the former German em-
peror.

Winnipeg labor unions are taking a
referendum on the desirability of al-
lowing the sale of 5 per cent beer.
Already the bricklayers, the carpen-
ters and the C.P.R. and C.N.R. ma-
chinists unions have signified by vote
their wish that beer selling be made
legal.

Alberta is ever enlarging the market
for her live stock and now it trans-
pires that some of her pure bred
hogs are being exported to Japan.
Wm. Gilbert, well known as a breeder
of Berkshire and Duroc hogs, is making
arrangements for the shipment of
two pure bred Berkshire pigs to Japan
and this is probably the first shipment
of Alberta live stock to the Orient.

It is stated that experiments in
Norway with a view to extracting salt
from sea water by means of electricity
have been successful and that two salt
factories will be started for this pur-
pose in the near future, under the
name of De Norske Saltverkter. One
is to be in western Norway and the
other in Northern Norway, as these
districts, on account of the fisheries,
are the best home markets.

The world's total losses of merchant
tonnage from the beginning of the
war to the end of October, 1918, by
enemy action was 15,053,780 gross
tons according to official announce-
ments issued recently. During the
same period vessels totalling 10,849,527
tons were constructed, and enemy
tonnage totalling 2,392,975 was cap-
tured, making a net loss of tonnage
during the war of 1,811,584.

British Columbia derives one-third
of her annual revenue from her forests.

The Dominion government is pur-
chasing seed oats for the prairie pro-
vinces.

The production of spruce for aero-
planes has been stopped. Clear Doug-
las fir is also included.

Removal of the Canadian Northern
Railway and department from Win-
nipeg to Toronto has been definitely
decided upon.

The Council of Social Service of the
Church of England in Canada has
endorsed the proposed formation of a
national society to combat venereal
diseases.

The War Trade Board announces
the cancellation of the restrictions
prohibiting the exportation of explo-
sives containing more than 42 per cent
nitro-glycerine.

Fifty thousand U. S. government
employees were given a partial holi-
day to take a part in a "Victory cele-
bration" on the signing of the armis-
tice and on "Britain Day."

Mail for the Canadian force operat-
ing near Archangel, North Russia,
is to be forwarded via England and
should be addressed according to
number, rank, name, unit, etc., to
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ary Force, Army Post Office, London,
England. The rates are: Letters,
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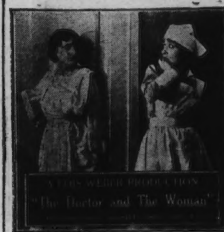
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Better and cheaper
than Soap.

The King and His Cousin

George V. Most Deeply Attached to Former Czar

King George is said by some who probably know nothing about it, to have been deeply overpowered when he learnt of the assassination of the czar. Of all the monarchs in Europe it was his cousin, the Czar, that he was most deeply attached: their personal intimacies were close, we are assured by the same authority. It will be remembered at the time of the revolution that it was stated how anxious King George personally was to offer immediate hospitality to the deposed emperor, but was reluctantly compelled to perceive how impossible such a step would be diplomatically. That does not tend to alleviate His Majesty's grief. It is violating no secret to say that the king never extended to the Tsarina and greater measure of friendship than due courtesy. His affection was concentrated on her husband.

GUARD THE CHILDREN FROM AUTUMN COLDS

The Fall weather is the most severe season of the year for colds—one day is warm, the next is wet and cold and unless the mother is on her guard the little ones are seized with colds that may hang over them a long time. Baby's Own Tablets are mothers' best friend in preventing or banishing colds. They act as a gentle laxative, keeping the bowels and stomach free and sweet. An occasional dose will prevent cold or if it does come on suddenly the prompt use of the Tablets will quickly cure it. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Hurtful to His Feelings
Little Tommy came home from Sunday school one day in a very thoughtful mood. "Mother," he said, "don't you think I've been a good boy since I've been to Sunday school?" "Why, yes, certainly!" replied the mother. "Don't you think you can trust me now, mother?" "Of course I do! But why do you ask?" "Oh, nothing," replied the boy, "only I was wondering why you kept the cakes locked up just the same as you did before I went to Sunday school."

Butter for Siberia
A shipment of Saskatchewan butter is on its way to Siberia, having been bought by the military department for the use of the Siberian forces. It comprises two carloads and is the first shipment of butter to Russia ever made from this province.



ALL KIDNEY DISEASES
BROOKLYN, N. Y.
23 THE PROGRESSIVE

W. N. U. 1234

Pigmy Elephants

Considered a Most Important Zoological Discovery

Two specimens of a hitherto unknown species of elephant, a real dwarf variety, have been captured in Africa and were recently taken to England. This is considered a most important zoological discovery, comparable with that of the gorilla in the Congo forest several years ago. These pigmy elephants grow to be 2½ or 3 feet high, which is half the height at the shoulder of an ordinary African elephant. The tusks of the two specimens are now in England are very dark, and display evidence of wear and tear and of exposure to a wet or muddy habitat. They are abnormally small. Those of the female weigh about 1 pound each, and those of the male 3½ pounds each, compared with 10 pounds as the weight of one tusk of a grown African bull elephant.

Dragged Down by Asthma. The man or woman who is continually subject to asthma is unfitted for his or her life's work. Strength departs and energy is taken away until life becomes a dreary existence. And yet this is needless. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has brought about a change to an army of sufferers. It relieves the restricted air tubes and guards against future trouble. Try it.

Champagne Catacombs

Millions of Bottles of Wine Hoarded in Vaults

The glory of Rheims is undoubtedly its mediaeval cathedral, and all its associations, says the Yorkshire Post, but I must confess that I was almost equally interested in what might be called its modern cathedral structures in the shape of the mile-long vaults serving as storage cellars for the champagne bottle—millions upon millions of them—hoarded up there. A walk through those Gothic-arched vaults—their walls all frescoed with illustrations of the worship of Bacchus and the history of viniculture—was an interesting experience. In some minds not inferior to that with which the tourist contemplates the painted windows and plaster saints of the above-ground cathedral. In fact, in all the area of the western front there are no such capacious, secure, and seductive vaults as the deep-down, miles-long, Gothic-vaulted cellars containing all the champagne of the world. The most of the spoils of the Marne. No wonder that in 1870 the Prussians found their Capus in Rheims, to which they moved their headquarters immediately after Sedan.

Whether the corn be of old or new growth, it must yield to Holloway's Corn Cure, the simplest and best cure offered to the public.

The Dominion's Natural Resources

Potential Wealth of Canada Brought to Attention of the Royal Geographical Society

At a recent meeting of the Royal Geographical society, the Hon. A. M. A. Macdonald read a paper on "The Natural Resources of Canada." His audience comprised most of those public men who take a lively interest in the greater Britain overseas, and the close attention with which the speaker was listened to, and the promise gratifying results later on. Any man who is privileged to address the members of England's premier body of geographers is certain of a distinguished and influential audience.

While little that the minister of the interior said would strike any Canadian possessed of average information as new, it may have been quite otherwise under the circumstances of its delivery. If so it served an excellent purpose. Our natural resources are great; as is known to the next step is to see that those who may help develop these resources also realize their importance.

He spoke of the tremendous mountain ranges, not forgetting to mention that Mount Logan, in the St. Elias range of the Yukon, towers to 19,539 feet; of the great waterways; the lakes, almost seas, and of the 600,000,000 acres of forest. Our coal reserve is placed by Mr. Meighen at 1,234,000,000 tons, or equal to seven-tenths of all the known coal deposits under the British flag, of which the Canadian reserve in Alberta is thought to hold four-fifths. Happy Alberta!

It appears we have, according to the latest census, enough caribou roaming the so-called barren lands to feed the allied nations for years. Dr. W. Miller, provincial geologist for Ontario, speaks at some length on the mineral resources of the Dominion, but unfortunately, his remarks, owing to an oversight, could not be reproduced with those of Mr. Meighen. The latter, seeing that the authority was to deal with them, did little more than touch upon our nickel, copper, lead, gold, and other stores.

Many realize that, hitherto, settlement has made far greater strides in the east and west line than from south to north. In fact, Canada, so far as settlement is concerned, resembles somewhat a long, straggling street. From Halifax to Vancouver, the traveller faces the sea, and the sun never the pole star. Yet as Mr. Meighen intimated, our aim should be to add depth to our occupation, and to enter into and fully possess the wonderful heritage this Dominion was intended to be. It has always been a tradition that the north was practically uninhabitable, but those who have tried it, who know it best, do not say so; spring comes almost as soon on the north as on the St. Lawrence, and earlier, perhaps, in northern British Columbia than in Manitoba. The climate can be overcome; severity of climate was never much more than a bogey conjured up by the timid.



Transferring the Bad Luck

A visitor on a British battleship was dining with a group of officers when his fork accidentally struck a glass tumbler. As the glass resounded the officers shouted as one man, "Boche." On asking for an explanation the visitor was told that the ringing of a glass meant bad luck. One officer declared that on one ship he formerly commanded every time a glass was rung a man fell overboard. This is why the officers now cry "Boche" when a table accidentally tips, or when they transfer their bad luck to the enemy.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

Double Entry Bookkeeping Ancient
It comes as a surprise, very often, to find how far back in the centuries some of the ordinary things of every day life cast their roots. It may not be generally realized that double entry bookkeeping, for instance, adopted in many large businesses of the modern world, originated, or if it did not originate, was practised, among the mercantile communities of Italy in the fifteenth century. An early exponent of the method was a Minorite monk named Luca de Burgo, otherwise Pacioli, who wrote and published a treatise on the subject in Venice in the year 1494, three years before Sebastian Cabot landed in America. The system survives as Luca de Burgo established it, with the exception of the few alterations necessitated by four centuries of commercial evolution.

The Friend of All Sufferers.—Like "the shadow of a rock in a weary land" is Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil to all those who suffer pain. It holds out hope to everyone and realizes it. It is still suffering everywhere. It is a liniment that has the blessings of half a continent. It is on sale everywhere and can be found wherever needed.

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Narrow Escape of Two Kings

Sovereigns of Wurtemberg and Saxony Flee from Dadselle

From civilians freed from the Germans in Flanders it was learned that the kings of Wurtemberg and Saxony both narrowly escaped having something happen to them at Dadselle, northwest of Mein. Both monarchs were in the town when the British guns suddenly opened up on it with a whirlwind bombardment that died in a hurry, and so far as is known, managed to get away safely.

Some enlightening information was gained from these liberated Flemings. Some of them from Ledeghem said that ever since the Germans first came to their town in 1914 they had forced all civilians to sleep on the floors, while husky Germans occupied their beds to the surprise of the villagers were killed by the Germans. One of these was taken out, stood against a wall and shot. The villagers were led by the American commission for relief in Belgium, they said, but the Germans always took this food away from them and gave them their own German rations, which invariably were bad and unfit to eat.

It was on September 28 that the Germans ordered the villagers of Ledeghem to evacuate the place, but on the night of September 29 they returned to the town, where they remained until the British entered. The German told the villagers that they would like to surrender to the Scottish troops, but that the Scots had the nasty habit of cutting the throats of the Germans when they caught them, and, therefore, they were afraid to take a chance. The Germans, villagers said, also told them terrible things the British would do to the villagers when they entered the town.

According to the villagers, many German horses had died in Flanders because there was no food of any kind for them and the American automobiles all are running on their rums because the Germans have no tires.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Naval Nicknames

Curious nicknames are applied to vessels of the British navy. The Ariadne is known as the "Hairy Annie," or "Haggy Agony," the Narcissus as "Nasty Sister," the Crested as the "Greaser," the Inconstant as the "Inkstand," the Iphigenia as the "Silent Sam," the Lucifer as the "Match Box," the Hecate as the "He Cat" or "The Tom" and the Neptune as the "Jew's Harp."

In the United States navy similar nicknames have been used to some extent. The Sassafras was known as the "Sassy Cuss," the Mantonmoh as "My Aunt Don't Know You," the Wisnitchkon as the "Widow Higgins," the Vinelago as the "Widow Higgins" and the "We Know She Goes Slow."

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Poor Dog Under Shell Fire

In a letter describing the behavior of domestic animals under fire, a soldier says: A big black mongrel came into our improvised trench late one afternoon. He had survived a terrific ten hours' bombardment of shell and gas, and sank down by my side, utterly exhausted. His body became inert and nothing, not even the tender bits of bully beef, would make him move. His brown eyes looked mournfully into mine as if longing to tell me something. Just then the booms commenced, and a stray and very explosion a shiver ran through his body. I do not know what became of the poor beast. There was an engagement soon afterwards and this big black mongrel disappeared.

Government experts have estimated that with due economy, there is timber enough in the United States to last 444 years.



He Cannot Sleep

It isn't the body that craves rest, but the mind.

When you are bodily tired you can usually fall to sleep at the first opportunity.

But when the nerves are irritated by anxiety and worry rest and sleep seem to be impossible.

The mind seems to be most alert, and you are thinking, thinking, thinking—first of one thing and then of another. Often matters of little or no importance. But you simply cannot sleep.

Sleeplessness is the most common and often the first indication of a breaking down of the nervous system.

The object of sleep is to allow the body to rebuild tissue and the nerves to recover tone. Sleep is the ideal condition for this process.

If you cannot sleep you worry, and worry breaks down nerve cells at a tremendous rate, so that instead of laying up nerve force for the demands of the day, you are using up the reserve.

The nerve centres are sometimes likened to storage batteries. If you continue to consume the nervous energy in reserve, without paying back, these centres become sooner or later depleted, and you find yourself a nervous wreck.

After a sleepless night you get up

feeling tired and lacking in mental energy. Your day's work seems more than you can face, and you become down-hearted and discouraged.

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Just then Anthony glanced at his watch.

"Look here, Cooper," said he, "you'll stay to dinner with me, won't you, and then I can tell you all you want to know about Miss de Rochefort's ravings."

"Really, doctor, it's awfully good of you," the doctor replied, "but I don't like to trespass on your hospitality to such an extent, though I must say I'd enjoy a longer chat with you, to say nothing of a long evening, somehow, and anyway, I'm most intensely interested in this affair, and I'm as keen as anything on hearing all I can about it."

"Well, if you put it that way, I'll be delighted to stay," Cooper replied, and on that Anthony rang the bell, and told his cook-housekeeper to prepare dinner for two.

CHAPTER VIII.

Until the early hours Cooper and Dr. Richardson sat talking by the cheerful fire, and then, very reluctantly, the doctor rose to go. The parting words were that he would come round again as soon as he had a spare moment, and have another chat with his new friend. Not of course, that their conversation was all of the affair that interested them both so much, but that it occurred again and again during the evening; and apart from this, they discovered many interests in common, and Anthony was greatly delighted to have discovered someone of his own age with whom to talk of the things in which things interested him.

However, though the two were unable to find any solution of what Cooper called "his new case" (that is to say, the doctor's case), though he may have had one (which he preferred to keep silent) their long talk was not without its effects, and the immediate result was that Anthony grievously overstepped himself the next morning, and it was getting well on in the afternoon before he paid his visit to Miss de Rochefort, a visit which was usually in progress by half past ten or eleven. In consequence of his not appearing, the doctor, who was usually in the room, was surprised to find that she was going along the High Street, and would therefore be able to see the doctor before he reached Mr. Wakeman's house.

Now, if the doctor had not sat so late talking with the detective, he he would have overstepped himself that morning, and if he had not overstepped himself, he would never have seen the man who was leaving at a street corner a few yards away from Mr. Wakeman's house.

The moment she saw him, she gave a little suppressed shriek of "Hens!" and he, on his part, saying in surprise, crying "Arr!" I didn't expect to see you this morning."

"Why are you here?" she asked breathlessly.

"Oh, just to see how the land lay, my friend," the doctor replied. "We were anxious about your health, and that of mademoiselle—my master and I—to I came down here to inquire how you were getting on."

"How did you learn we were here?" Marie queried, her voice quivering with excitement.

"Easily enough," replied the man. "These English newspapers are full of interesting information, not to mention the fact that there are two in the world, are there, that when one is told of their extraordinary likeness to one another, coupled with the fact that they have a French name, and live all alone with a French maid, one cannot put two and

two together. Besides, my master heard that monsieur had been seen here. Eh bien, need one say more? So one of them is dead? How said? Which one, Marie? Which one?"

"The elder—Mademoiselle Olivia," answered Marie decisively.

"You yell I pay you to say that!" cried the man. "But tell me the truth. Come, Marie! A thousand pounds for all you know!"

"Le bon Dieu strike me dead if I ever breathe one word to you or your master," she cried vehemently. "I know you no more, Go, or we may be seen!"

"And you think your friend the solicitor might not be for you to converse with me?" he queried derisively. "Well, well, so be it! You will not sell? An revoir, Marie. Yes, an revoir, for we shall assuredly meet again, now I know where you are staying. An revoir, Marie!" and he turned on his heel and departed abruptly.

But Marie was too troubled to care to consider what she was without waiting for the doctor's dog cart to appear, she walked smartly back to her house, and retired to her own room to think.

Before long Anthony drove up to the house, and in the best of good spirits ran upstairs to his room, where he was admitted by Miss Johnson. He found his patient very perceptibly stronger, both in body and in mind, and he delightedly settled down to a half-hour's chat with her. As before, the time flew with amazing rapidity, and he was charmed beyond words with everything to do with this fascinating girl.

When he at last turned himself away from her, he found Marie waiting outside the room.

"Monsieur," she whispered, "is it not that you are—that what I shall I interest— in mademoiselle?"

"Certainly," Anthony laughed, "I certainly think you might say 'interesting,' without being far wrong. Why?"

"Well, I fear I presume, monsieur, but I have ventured to think that you are somewhat epiric of mademoiselle's. Viola. Eh bien! If you would, you could do her the greatest service possible, by helping your mistress. I regret that, but what would you, her life may be at stake?"

"You strike me as a trifle fond of your language, Marie, not to say hysterical; but you may assure yourself that I will do anything in my power to help your mistress. What is it you want me to do?"

"You are sure, Monsieur le Doctor, that you mean this?" Marie questioned hesitatingly.

"I am sure," he replied, "that I mean to do it. I would rather say nothing. As I have helped your mistress in her inconvenience, you, perhaps really."

The doctor smiled. "I don't think any possible inconvenience would prevent me from investigating mademoiselle," he said. "Tell me what you want me to do."

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Easy Way to Wax Flowers

If Left in Sunshine Colors Will Fade

Where flowers or parts of plants are required in a vase with wax, or butterines, the following plan is to be recommended. Several ordinary flower pots should be secured and where long stalked blossoms are to be treated, big ones are the best. Then a quantity of sand is needed. This should be quite clean. Keep on washing it until there is nothing left save the quartz crystals of which pure sand is composed. Then dry it either in the sun or in an oven, make it thoroughly hot, take a lump of candle wax about the size of a walnut, put it on a warm dry place, and should remain thus about a fortnight.

At the end of this time tip the flowers, the petals should be exercised as, until the flowers have been exposed to air for a little while, they are apt to be rather brittle. They are found on examination to be beautifully preserved not only in form, but also to a considerable extent in their color. Flowers preserved in this way will last indefinitely and are useful for any decorative purpose. They should not remain in direct sunshine for any length of time or the colors will be likely to fade.

There is a marked shortage of caustic soda in New Zealand, which is seriously interfering with the soap industry, including the tanning. The English supply of caustic soda is entirely shut off, and New Zealand consumers are now relying entirely upon the supply from the United States.

Vast Importance Of Signal Service**Must Maintain Uninterrupted Communication Between Infantry and Artillery**

"Fighting a battle is as much a concentrated business as a Christmas mail order service. Every department has its function, or the whole will fall to pieces. Before a shot is fired, the work of the general staff is completed, the day's operations have been planned in preparation, and it is only when the battle starts that its members can lean back in their chairs and take a moment of ease. They have done their part; the execution of the plan is left to others. During the progress of the battle of a tremendous strain is thrown on signallers, who must keep all units in close touch with their divisions, the brigades with the headquarters, the latter with the corps headquarters, and so on. Nor is this all. They must also act as a link between the all-important liaison between the infantry and the artillery. A loss of communication at a critical moment of the advance must mean the useless sacrifice of many lives.

The preparatory work of signallers is an extremely exacting task. The intelligence is the eyes, so signallers are the ears of the general staff. A good illustration is furnished by the Canadian signal service on Sunday, Sept. 10, when preparatory work was being done for the assault next morning on the famous Queant-Drocourt line. On that day 7,611 telegraph messages and 1,400 wireless messages were sent, and the corps telephone service, 2,400 being by dispatch riders and the balance by wireless.

The Canadian signal service in France is administered by the assistant director of army signals, who is directly under the orders of the corps commander, and is technical adviser to the latter on questions of inter-communication. He is responsible for the organization and efficiency of the signal communications in the corps area. This includes the co-ordination of the divisional and artillery communications and the personnel employed thereon. The corps signal company is responsible for communications with flanking corps divisions and heavy artillery; for the construction and maintenance of all air routes in the corps area; the use of the artillery divisions, flying corps, balloon sections, anti aircraft, and all other aerial communication troops, ammunition dumps, and supply depots. Similarly, divisional signal companies look after all communications within the division.

The companies are roughly divided into the following branches: Telephone and telegraph, wireless and telegraph, inter-divisional and inter-corps, visual signalling sections, aircraft section, cable sections (these are divided into land and air sections), cycle dispatch rider sections, portable electric light and sound sections, and all other sections.

The work of a dispatch rider, especially in the forward area, is extremely difficult and hazardous on account of bad roads and shellfire, and all corps and army troops, ammunition dumps, and supply depots. Similarly, divisional signal companies look after all communications within the division.

There is a large staff of telegraph operators, both on the land and wireless services, and these have been recruited from the pick of the profession in Canada, from the news agency staff, telegraph companies and broker offices. They "carry on" under very difficult positions, frequently exposed to shell and machine gun fire. Even more hazardous is the work of the cable men who construct and repair wires under fire, and these suffer many casualties.

The messenger dog service is still in the experimental stage. A half dozen or eight dogs in twenty-four hours is being formed at the present time.

The Bat Is Found Everywhere

Most Species of These Curious Animals Appear Only at Night

As a group bats are of world wide distribution except in the inhospitable polar regions. They are real mammals and present an extraordinary variation in size, from tiny little creatures, almost as small and fragile as butterflies, to the huge fruit bats, with a spread of wings like that of a wild goose.

The heads of bats are strangely sculptured, some being smoothly contoured and shaped like those of little foxes; others appear like miniature bulldogs; and still others have curious, cat-like features. Some are upright on the muzzle. Some have the entire face moulded into a hideous mask repulsive to look upon.

Their habits are equally varied to meet special conditions. Some are eaters of fruit alone, others feed solely upon insects, while others, like other mammals, including man, for the purpose of drinking the oozing blood, upon which they subsist. They are nocturnal, but some appear late in the afternoon, before the sun sets. Most species, however, wait until the shades of night have covered the earth.

Throughout the world the majority of the species of bats feed upon insects. The teeming insects and plant life of the tropics afford a never failing food supply. In the centre of abundance of these animals is found there. In some localities between 20 and 30 millions of bats exist, with vast numbers of individuals that the bat population far outnumber all other kinds of mammals combined.

And alas! it is not true that bats prefer a diet of mosquitoes!

Your Boy AT THE FRONT NEEDS 7am Bk PUT IN EVERY PARCEL

Turks Head Buttons Of Swiss Watches

Gold Metal Is Converted Into Coinage

From the latest official statistics of the Swiss watch industry, it appears that Turkey, for the first time, heads the list of foreign countries as buyers of Swiss gold watches. It appears, however, that these watches are not destined for commercial purposes; the wily Turk is melting them down and converting the precious gold metal into coinage. Turkey is also the largest buyer of watches of all kinds, her purchases amounting to 2,700,000 francs in the first three months of the present year. For silver and nickel watches England remains Switzerland's best customer.

During the first quarter of 1918 Swiss manufacturers exported finished watches to the value of 35,850 francs, compared with 39,100,000 francs in 1917. The total exports of the works, and other finished parts of watches, amounts to 9,500 francs. There has been a great increase in the export of high-grade scientific instruments especially to Great Britain. The report of the federal finance department on the development in the Swiss industries in precious metals for the year 1917, shows on the whole very satisfactory results. The export of gold watches, valued at 184,165 articles of jewelry and watches, and 201,990 silver cases, the jewelry on the other hand shows an increase of 42,500 pieces.

Considering the difficulties in getting raw materials, the report states, the situation of the Swiss watch industry is very favorable. The trade in finished articles is also increasing. The federal council has just issued a decree regulating the sale and purchase of precious metals, platinum, gold, and silver, restricting the right to deal in them to certain firms, and providing for the fixing of maximum prices.

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Spider web is the only material that can be used successfully for cross hairs in surveyors' telescopes. Human hair has been tried, but when magnified by the powerful lenses it has the unsightly appearance of a mammoth dirty glass pillar; for human hair is transparent, and it is also too large to spin the fine thread of purpose. Platinum wire, very drawn, is the best substitute for spider web, but it is too brittle. Spider web is not only small and tough, but it is very elastic.

The spider colony works only during August and September, almost among them may sound amusing to the reader, but it is a serious matter. The purpose of urging the little workmen to their tasks four girls, trained to expertness in their unusual duties, are employed; it is their task to coax the spiders to work. Whenever they show signs of reluctance.

Coaxing the spiders really means irritating them. The girl places one on her hand and pats or taps it until it jumps toward the ground, leaving one end of its thread behind, hence the spider can reach the ground the girl quickly attaches the thread to a wire whirling frame, which she then involves in her hands. As the spider struggles to reach the ground she continues to wind, and in that way sometimes gets several hundred feet of thread from a single spider.

The factory maintains a large force for its spiders, and recruits each spring. For selecting the spiders the company employs a number of girls, and each girl receives instruction so they will know the right variety of spider to select. Not every spider will do. Only the sleek black fellow that spins a strong round thread is desired. The boys search barns, meadows and marshes for the spiders, and the girls select the best ones for the spiders' lairs, and by early summer the spider house is usually full.

Take Good Care Of Stored Crops

Applies and Vegetables Lost Last Winter Through Improper Storage

A statement by the Canada food board calls attention to the serious loss in foodstuffs which occurred last winter, particularly apples, potatoes and vegetables, through lack of proper precautions being taken against frost and bad ventilation through improper storage.

It is desirable, the board states, that farmers, dealers and householders should pay strict attention to the condition of crop going into storage this winter.

First of all, the statement continues, "they should see that the cellar, building or pit is frostproof, and the ventilation adequate and prevent heating and to insure the keeping qualities of the produce, and that any specimens free from disease, rot, and as far as possible from dampness, are stored."

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Rebuilding of Lens

First Task Is Putting of Mines in Working Order.

M. Basly, deputy and mayor of Lens, in a statement to Le Petit Parisien declared that the first task to be undertaken is the putting of the mines in working order. It is an enormous task, he says, for the Germans have flooded them all and it will be probably some years before the district is completely re-established.

The government has already agreed to advance 2,000,000 francs toward defraying the initial expenses of these large coal companies, who hope to begin operations shortly in spite of the difficulties of labor and material. The housing problem has also to be considered, for the Germans have razed the town and surrounding villages to the ground and blown up the entire quarters in order to construct trenches. M. Basly expresses warm gratitude to the heroic British army who drove the enemy from his town.

New Zealand's Soldiers

New Zealand is already preparing for the demobilization problems which will follow the advent of peace. Sir James Allen, the minister for defense, recognizes that the demobilization will take a considerable time, and that the men who will be waiting for embarkation must be utilized in some way. It is intended to prepare the soldiers for a successful re-entry into civil life by special training in England, and by intelligent cooperation in New Zealand during the demobilization period. All men will be brought back as quickly as possible, and disabled or partly disabled men will be carefully trained for new occupations.

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Bread Dishes, from.....3.00
Pepper and Salt, from.....1.00
Bon Bon Dishes, from.....2.00

Community Silver

- Pie Knives, Berry Spoons, Gravy Ladles, Sugar
Spoons, Butter Knives, Pickle Forks, Cold Meat
Forks, Baby Spoons, Knives and Forks, Tea Spoons,
Table Spoons, Dessert Spoons, Coffee Spoons, etc.

Community Silver Chests from \$13 to \$35.

Cut Glass

- Bon Bon Dishes, from.....\$ 2.00
Berry Sets, from.....15.00
Water Sets, from.....10.00
Sugar and Cream, from.....4.00
Celery Trays, from.....5.00
Vases, from.....5.00
Butter Dishes, from.....5.00
Spoon Trays, from.....4.00

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- Solid Gold Brooches, from.....2.25
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Local and General.

Calgary voted overwhelmingly
in favor of city ownership of
the hospitals.

Joe Michalsky is the latest
addition to our advertisers.
Note his advt. on front page.

Winnipeg war veterans want
unnaturalized enemy aliens re-
turned to the lands from which
they migrated.

W. L. Ouimette reports last
Saturday's business as one of
best in their experience here.
He says advertising pays.

"Business booming," says A.
E. Liddle. "People are taking
an exceptional interest in good
christmas presents this year."

Word received in town recent-
ly from V. H. Lowden indicates
that he is recovering from an
extremely severe attack of
Influenza.

Appropriations to provide a
navy for the United States by
1925 as large as any other
country was urged by Admiral
Bagder, of the general board
of the navy.

Strayed.—On Saturday, grey
goat, rope around horns. Last
seen on Good's ranch. Suitable
reward will be paid for infor-
mation leading to recovery. A.
Celli, 2nd Street Coleman.

The Royal North West Mount-
ed Police is to have its juris-
diction extended from Port
Arthur to Victoria, B.C. It is
understood that this important
decision has been reached by
the cabinet and that the neces-
sary order-in-council will be
passed immediately.

Dr. Harrington, of Morse, Sask.
ran down a prairie wolf with his auto
and captured it alive.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce
contemplates building a new head
office on King street, Toronto.

The Saskatchewan Presbyterian
synod demands a more stringent en-
forcement of the Lord's Day Act.

J. F. Williamson, an old-timer in
the Regina district, was burned to
death when his home was destroyed
by fire.

The fine new Roman Catholic church
at Medicine Hat was dedicated on
Sunday by His Lordship Bishop Mc-
Nally.

The Provincial Minister of Mines of
British Columbia has called for bids
for diamond drilling of copper, gold
and silver properties in the Yale dis-
trict.

Erne E. Branton, aged 35, former
train despatcher at Calgary, and late
night chief operator for the Canadian
Pacific Railway telegraphs at Calgary
died a victim of influenza, having been
ill only 36 hours.

The special committee of the Meth-
odist conference of Alberta, which
met in session in Calgary recently,
went on record as favoring the acqui-
sition by the government of land ad-
joining the railways for the purpose
of soldier settlement.

The war Trade Board have received
intimation from the High Commission-
er, London, that British authorities
have issued a general license for three
months permitting importation of
any quantity of fruit canned, bottled
and preserved, and soap.

Announcement is made of the com-
plete withdrawal by the Pulp and
Paper Division of the United States
War Industries Board of all restric-
tions affecting the publication of all
American periodicals, excepting daily,
Sunday, and weekly newspapers,
effective immediately.

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Why not do it now and avoid the rush of the last few
days before Christmas?

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See our line of Child's and Misses' Brown
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\$6.00 to \$11.00 each.

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show a very large assortment in Lawn, Lin-
en and Creme-de-chine at prices all the way
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12 Fruit Saucers 1 Only Pickle
1 Only Platter, 10 inch 1 Only Cream Jug
1 Only Slop Bowl.

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